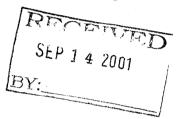


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Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter will serve as a 30 day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on the Lecithin 1200 mg supplement under the Major brand name.

- Contributes to the health of the nervous system.
- Lecithin is an important natural source of choline, inositol and linoleic acid.
- Choline and Inositol are vital components of all cell membranes, and play important roles in cell growth and function.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,

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Director of Nutrition Communications

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